

THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Oct. 29.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.11; at 5 p.m., 30.02. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 59 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 34 per cent.; 5 p.m., 60 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., southeast, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 77 deg.; minimum temperature, 50 deg. Character of weather, clear.

The Times
ALL ALONG THE LINE.

It is announced that City Engineer Dockweiler has accepted an invitation from Thomas Price, the well-known chemist of San Francisco, to go there and observe some chemical tests of asphaltum. It was Mr. Price who is understood to have drawn up the specification for asphalt of which complaint is made by local producers that it shuts out competition on their part.

It is not surprising that marriage is held in small repute among many persons nowadays, when some people change their life partners with as little ceremony or compunction as they do their partners at a dance. Less than a year ago a Los Angeles woman was divorced from her husband, with the intention of marrying another man. She reconsidered the matter, however, and was remarried to her husband, and has now applied for another divorce, all within a year.

That was a foxy old gentleman up in Randsburg who headed off a charivari by tapping two barrels of beer before the Judge had finished kissing the bride. To insure immunity from a tin-can serenade later in the evening, he chartered all the saloons and opened them to the crowd. By this strategy the bridegroom not only secured his own peace, but achieved unbounded popularity. Now is his time to announce himself as a candidate for Mayor of Randsburg.

The Times has advice from the San Gabriel Valley of a very encouraging character. That valley will have a large quantity of oranges ready to ship for the Thanksgiving trade. What is still better is the assurance that the fruit, to be shipped from there this year will take second place to no fruit grown in the State, the growers having awakened to the necessity of thoroughly cleaning their trees, which has brought a vast improvement in the quality of fruit produced. Los Angeles county was the first to engage extensively in the orange industry, but when the rival counties further in the interior came forward, taking much better care of their orchards and profiting from the errors made by the early experimenters in this county, it was an open question whether in time competition might not drive this county out of the orange industry. This question seems now to have been very effectually answered by the improvements the orange growers have made in their system of caring for the fruit. There are still a few sections of Southern California which could greatly profit by the lesson taught by the San Gabriel farmers.

A stable-keeper and owner of hacks writes to The Times a communication concerning the proposed hitching ordinance. He asserts that should the hacks be excluded from the main streets, their places would be taken by teams from the country and runaways would be frequent, and he wants to know why it is not better to let the hacks stand on "good pavement in the business part of the city, where the streets are swept nightly," than to relegate them to the residence district. The rest of his letter is in the nature of an attempt to create a diversion by directing the attention of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association to the saloons that are kept open on Sunday. The defect in the hack-owner's argument lies in his premises. There are no good pavements where hacks stand, and the streets are not swept nightly; they are not cleaned at all. Spring street is full of holes, and the standing hack teams keep the holes full of filth. The purpose of the proposed ordinance is to prevent teams from making stables of the business streets. It should also compel teamsters to keep clean the stands that are designated for their use.

The Bleaching of the Negro.
[Atlanta Dispatch to the Chicago Times-Herald.] Bishop Gaines, the puritan, broadest and most deeply colored of all the bishops of the colored church, has become the prophet of a startling creed, which he has evolved and embodied in book form as his contribution to the cause of the race. His book, which he has set out of the press, is the frankest, may be the bravest, that has yet appeared on the subject, and it is assuredly the most sensational.

In presenting his view of the situation he has not minced words, nor has he dodged conclusions as to the future. The result is something that may cause the fastidious of the white race to shiver. In a word, Gaines presents the theory that the black race is surely and gradually being absorbed by the white; that in the run of the years the black face will disappear, the evolution being reached through a process of graded mulatto tints and constantly becoming African characteristics.

While professing to bleed out a race, he declares, is going on by rapid degrees, and will continue inexorably until the miracle is wrought. In fact, he maintains, it is already, in a great measure, accomplished.

He marshals to his use the pitiless logic of some extraordinary facts to sustain his stand. The bishop's warning finger points to the census which shows that there are over a million and a quarter mulattoes in the South.

The Way of Things.
[Chicago News:] A New York man has invented a reversible street car, but it will probably be like the old-style cars and come this way when you want to go that way.

TAKE A HIDE.
Tomorrow and look at No. 121 West Thirty-sixth street, corner of 1st Street, if you want to see a car that will run on both sides of the street, and will be in the line of the car at the rate of \$1 a month and \$2 down. Hop down to the car, Langworthy Co., 28 South Street.

OTHER TIPS AND PLUMS.
An unusual assortment of the same.

FOR SUCKERS ONLY.

Poker Davis's Joint Again Opened for the Season.
"Poker" Davis has again opened up his fish joint, and the seine has begun work on the annual fall catch of suckers. One "hollerer" yesterday, but, as usual, the matter was hushed up with the able aid of the detectives. Twenty of the 41 out of which the unwary one was skinned was returned to him, and he left, not satisfied, but convinced that the issuing of a complaint would be useless.

Mitchell Burke, who learned not to play poker for the small tuition fee of \$21 yesterday, hails from Whittier. Early yesterday morning he came to Los Angeles, intending a visit to Santa Monica. By a not altogether strange coincidence he met a saucy and extremely enterprising young man who also contemplated a trip to Santa Monica. Burke has ten acres of land near Whittier which is for sale. Again the coincidence; the new acquaintance had a father who desired to purchase some land in that section. Result, a visit to the office of the father at No. 431 1/2 South Spring street. Father out. Cards. Sucker out \$41.

Burke, when he found his unbeatable hand at cards beaten, promptly wanted his money back. "Poker" Davis and his hilderrains at first refused. Just as Burke began to become obstreperous the "father" of the steerer entered. He wasn't much older than the steerer, but that made no difference. When he saw how the land lay, he became enraged; enraged at Burke, the sucker. He accused Burke of enticing his innocent son into a gambling game. Explanations that the reverse was the case didn't go. He threatened to have Burke arrested, and indignantly ordered him from the house. Burke left. He had not gone far, however, before one of the gamblers caught up with him and gave him \$20. This liberality convinced Burke of the wisdom of his merely a suspicion, and he started for the Police Station. He was handed over to Detective Goodman, who visited the "office" where Burke had shortly before lost his money. The gamblers refused to return the remaining \$21 which they had "won," and defied Burke to have a complaint issued, as they had the propoundance of evidence in the testimony of three against his alone. Burke then left, leaving Detective Goodman closeted with the thieves, doubting for the purpose of privately lecturing them on the error of their ways.

Burke stated last evening that he had become convinced that an attempt upon his part to prosecute the men would fail through, and that he did not, therefore, contemplate pressing the matter. Meanwhile, the "office" of "Poker" Davis is open for business at No. 431 1/2 South Spring street. None but suckers, however, need apply. Especial attention given to non-residents with large bank rolls. "Come up and see father, or father's nigger."

GRIDIRON AND DIAMOND.

Athletic sports for today and tomorrow.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock the Military Academy eleven of this city meets the Pasadena High School football team on the academy grounds at the end of Temple street. The game promises to be a hot one, as both teams are struggling for the supremacy. Of the Pasadena eleven but little is known, as they have kept their play to themselves, and consequently may have a surprise for the military boys. If they have, they will be compelled to spring it early in the game, as the academy boys are expecting something of the kind, and are prepared for it. Goodie, the academy team coach, is confident of winning. He promises much better team work than the academy boys put up when they met the High School team last week. Tomorrow, Sunday, the Echols are going to try conclusions on the baseball diamond with both the Seventh Regiment nine and the Tribby. To a man up a tree it looks as if the Echols had undertaken a contract they will find hard work to carry out.

North Pacific Weather.

The Hydrographic Office in Washington has forwarded the following forecast of November weather in the North Pacific:

The trade-wind limits may be expected somewhat farther south, though not so clearly marked, and the winds probably not so constant as last month. Near the American coast, within the limits of the northeast trade winds, the wind may be expected from the north and northwest, instead of from the northeast.

In the zone between 35 north and 50 north, generally accompanied with rain, and north of 45 north, with occasional hail and snow, may be expected, the sales occurring with greater frequency than in the month of October.

On the coast of Asia the northeast monsoon may be expected to blow steadily during this month and the weather to be dry and cool. Typhoons are not usually so frequent this month as in October.

After crossing the line coming north, winds for the west coast of America may expect heavy rain squalls, wind squalls, and occasional thunderstorms.

Some fog and heavy mist will be found along the American coast, but the fog of the forty-fifth parallel may be expected less frequently than last month.

Ladies of the G. A. R. Entertainment.
Columbia Circle, No. 24, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, celebrated the occupancy of their new quarters at Concordia Hall, No. 107 North Main street, with an entertainment last evening, which was well attended by the ladies and their friends. The interior of the hall was decorated with flags and the national colors. Mrs. Maud Rolier, president of the circle, presided, and the evening programme was rendered: Piano duet, Miss Clara Mott and Miss Cronkhite; recitation, Miss Ora Burke; song, Mrs. Mott; recitation, Eunice Stevens; Miss Eva Booth and Clara Muller; fancy dance, Ethel Ingram; song, Miss Ora Burke; recitation, Lida Higgins; song, Mrs. Mott; recitation, Elmer Booth; song, Miss Trill; march, Miss Cronkhite. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the entertainment, followed by dancing. The Committee of Arrangements was as follows: Mmes. Anna Thompson, A. T. Bell, Eva G. Booth, Anna Burke and H. Hill.

Free Methodist Conference.
The Free Methodist conference has been in session since Wednesday. Bishop Hart has presided. Rev. D. McLeod was elected secretary and Rev. D. G. Shepard, assistant secretary. Revs. W. G. Lupton and M. N. Huston were received by transfer from the East. Bishop Hart preached last night. He will preach on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The appointments will be read at the close of the session this afternoon.

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Trimmed Short Back Sailors,

All colors and styles, fresh from the hands of our trimmers. They are a combination of skill, quality and correct pricing. See them today.

Ribbons. Ribbons. Ribbons.

We are going to have a Ribbon Day today. Any and all qualities of ribbons in the house will be sold today as follows. All 25c ribbons for today only at 18c; all 35c ribbons for today only at 25c. They come in all shades and widths.

A. J. GOLDSCHMIDT, 257 S. Spring St., near Third.
Satisfactory Millinery.

Great Sale of Small Furs Tonight...

Nobby new garments to be sold tonight, between the hours of 7 and 9:30 only, at very special prices.

No lady needing a wrap of any description can afford to miss this economy opportunity. Note the reductions:

River Mink Boa, with head and tail ends, worth \$1. Tonight 80c

Electric Boa, with head and tail ends, worth \$1.25. Tonight 95c

Collarettes of Cony, edged with chinchilla and lined with fancy, changeable silk, \$3 garments. Tonight \$1.98

Collarettes of light color Astrakhan, lined with fancy silk, full \$5 value. Very special tonight at \$2.95

Collarettes of Electric Seal, lined with fancy-colored brocade silk, a \$5 garment. Tonight for \$3.65

Black Marten Collarette, with ten tails and two heads, full value at \$6. Tonight for only \$3.95

Belgian Marten Cluster Scarf, with ten tails and two heads, splendid \$6.50 garment. Tonight for \$4.95

12-inch combination collar of Electric Seal and fancy fur, lined with plain satin, worth \$7.50. Tonight \$5.45

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Children's Untrimmed Felt Hats, 50c
Fur Felt, King Walking trimmed 90c
The Cowboy Trimmed Hat, 1.00
The Sailor Felt, trimmed, 75c
And the largest selection of fancy feathers, Parrots and Ostrich feathers and Ribbons at 50 per cent below our competition.

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Superior Stoves and Ranges.

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City Briefs.

Holding the fort is an easy feat for Desmond—no feat at all, in fact. His victorious battery of fall and winter hats, shirts, neckwear, underwear, etc., sweeps everything before it, and takes the public by storm. Desmond's fall and winter styles in "Dunlap" hats never blossomed more attractively than now at his store in the Bryson Block, No. 141 South Spring street.

"The Times Almanac," from now until January 1, 1908, this almanac will be given free with every prepaid three months (\$2.25) subscription to The Times, or with every yearly subscription (\$1.00) to the Los Angeles Times and Weekly Mirror, or will be mailed, postpaid, to any address upon the receipt of 25 cents each.

Ladies, if you want to save money, buy your ladies' and children's winter underwear at the Unique. We are closing out this department, and are selling all this season's new, fresh garments at closing-out prices. You can't afford to miss it, at the Unique, 247 South Spring street, near Third.

Desmond, in the Bryson Block, No. 141 South Spring street, is showing all the new goods in \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 strictly up-to-date hats. They're the best in town for the money.

First Baptist Church, corner Sixth and Broadway; Sunday services, Rev. Joseph Smale will preach at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. All are welcome.

The public is cordially invited to attend a free exhibition of curiosities, which will be held at No. 237 South Spring street today. All are welcome; no admission.

The Times is prepared to do on short notice any kind of plain linotype composition for 30 cents per thousand ems. Brief work for 35 cents per thousand. To contractors and builders—Wanted, 100,000 feet of second-hand lumber, suitable for fencing. Call at once at 102 East First, or The Mineral.

The new high-class bicycles, for ladies or gentlemen, \$35; superior anything ever offered at such a price. H. O. Haines, 121 North Broadway.

Special—Finest cabinet photos reduced to \$1 and \$1.75 per dozen. Sunday, Oct. 30, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. "Twilight Concert" this evening, Immanuel Church, at 4:30 o'clock.

Underwear bargains. The Unique. Only the best. The Nadeau Café. Underwear sale. The Unique.

Robert Knappman, a native of Germany, was admitted to citizenship yesterday in the United States District Court.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office: for William A. Hume, Martin Luc and F. G. Allen.

The inquest held yesterday over the body of Victoria Martinez, who was found dead in bed in the Buena Vista House, resulted in the finding of a verdict of suicide by morphine poisoning.

H. Y. Quackenbush, an expressman, was arrested yesterday afternoon for violating the ordinance which prohibits the carrying of large signs on wagons for advertising purposes. He was released on his own recognizance.

G.A.R. members are notified that the funeral of their late comrade, Prof. Ira Moore, will occur at the First Congregational Church today (Saturday) at 2 o'clock p.m. Honorary members who may act as pall-bearers will assemble at the undertaking rooms of Peck & Chase, No. 329 Broadway, at 1 p.m.

GEN. SHAFTER'S REPORT.

More Artillery Needed for Pacific Coast Defense.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—In his annual report to the adjutant-general, Brig.-Gen. Shafter, commanding the Department of California, recommends the removal of two battalions from the Presidio to the new works at Fort Baker, where the battery is now unprotected against the approaching rainy season. The infantry company at San Diego should be replaced by a battery of heavy artillery, as the works are nearing completion, and artillery men should mount the new guns at once.

This battery, says Gen. Shafter, should be taken from Angel Island.

A regiment of infantry should be stationed at the Presidio, in addition to cavalry and light artillery, in order to police and care for the large reservation, as the present garrison cannot do this without serious interference with their military duties. Two infantry companies for this purpose might be drawn, one from San Diego and the other from Benicia.

Gen. Shafter announces his purpose to soon assemble the battery of heavy artillery in San Francisco Harbor, on the Presidio Reservation and at Fort Baker, for a period of twenty or thirty days, to thoroughly course instruction in problems of coast defense and rehearsal of the proposed system of "fire control and direction."

The discipline of the troops is said to be excellent.

PERSONALS.

J. F. Reddy and wife of Spokane are at the Nadeau.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Baker of St. Paul are at the Nadeau.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Magnus of Chicago are at the Van Nuys.

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Rutter of Chicago are at the Van Nuys.

S. P. Helwig and wife of Alvarado were in the city yesterday.

H. W. Potter and wife of Boston, are registered at the Van Nuys.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor are registered at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Henderson of Hartford are at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. H. W. Atkins and Miss Larson of Connecticut are visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Martine and Mrs. N. Wines of Santa Barbara, were guests of the Van Nuys yesterday.

Mrs. L. C. Moreland, the discoverer of the El Dorado gold mine, is in the city on a business trip.

H. L. Wells of the Oregonian, Portland, Or., is in the city. He makes the Van Nuys his home during his stay.

William Halliday of the Arlington Hotel, Santa Barbara, left for home last night after a week's visit in the metropolis.

Lottery Joint Raided.

Ah Hen and Wong Ah Hen were arrested last night by Officers Rolter and Broadhead and charged with selling Chinese lottery tickets. A number of white players were also taken to the Police Station, but upon giving their promise to appear as witnesses, were released. Several tables and paraphernalia were seized as evidence.

Kangaroo Ballot Is Secret.

CHICAGO, Oct. 29.—Judge Freeman has decided that under the Australian ballot system a voter cannot be compelled to disclose for whom he has cast his ballot. This principle of law holds good, it is declared, even when the legality of an election has been questioned in court proceedings, and the issue depends upon ascertaining how and for whom certain voters exercised their franchise.

HOUGHTON SWIPED IT.

MYSTERY OF A MISSING MAIL PACKAGE CLEARED UP.

It Contained Fourteen Thousand Dollars and Was Stolen by a Railway Mail Clerk—Thief Arrested and Makes a Confession.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

DENVER, Oct. 29.—Postoffice Inspector Frederick and City Detectives Loomis and Berlew of this city today arrested in Cheyenne, Wyo., Walter R. Houghton, a postal clerk running from Cheyenne to Ogden, on a charge of stealing a registered package containing \$14,000. A telegram received here during the afternoon stated that Houghton had confessed the theft.

The package which Houghton is alleged to have stolen was mailed by a Chicago bank to a correspondent in Sacramento, Cal., about September 23. It disappeared somewhere en route, and an investigation by the postal authorities disclosed the fact that the disappearance occurred somewhere between Omaha and Ogden.

The secret-service officers learned that Houghton's mistress, who has been staying in Denver for three weeks, had changed three \$100 bills, and as the \$14,000 stolen was all in \$100 bills, it was once made arrangements for Houghton's arrest. The woman was at first taken into custody, and her statements were to verify the opinion of the officers.

APPOINTMENTS.

Gen. Longstreet Succeeds Railroad Commissioner Hampton.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The President today made the following appointments:

James Longstreet of Georgia, Commissioner of Railroads, vice Wade Hampton, resigned.

Henry S. Pritchett, Missouri, Superintendent of the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Milton W. Gibbs, Arkansas, Consul at Tamatave, Madagascar.

Gen. Longstreet is the famous Confederate general, prominent in the South since the war as one of the leading generals. He was a devoted friend of President Grant, and held office under former Republican administrations.

Judge Gibbs is one of the prominent Republican colored men of the South.

Licensed to Wed.

Peter Garcia, aged 22, and Esperanza Ochoa, aged 21; both natives of California and residents of Azusa.

DEATH RECORD.

MENDENHALL—In this city October 29, 1887, Martha Mendenhall, beloved mother of J. F. Mendenhall, aged 80 years, died at 8 o'clock.

Funeral from parlors of Kregg & Breece, Sixth and Broadway, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

MANUEL—At his home, No. 3129 South Grand avenue, this city October 29, 1887, Francisco Manuel, a native of Canada, aged 51 years, died at 8 o'clock.

Funeral from St. John's Episcopal Church, corner of Adams and Figueroa streets, Sunday, October 31, 1887, at 3 o'clock p.m. Friends and acquaintances and members of G.A.R. invited to attend. Interment Rosecliff Cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral service of the late Prof. Ira Moore will be held in the First Congregational Church, corner of Sixth and Hill streets, today at 2 p.m. Interment at San Jose.

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LOS ANGELES AND VICINITY.

Southern California Tobacco.

TOBACCO is likely to be an important crop in this section before many years. A few days ago George Spiker called at The Times office with some samples of first-class tobacco, raised by farmers at Downey. The tobacco was of three varieties, Havana, Orinoco and Mexican. There are about twenty-five acres planted to tobacco around Downey, which acreage will be increased next season. Mr. Spiker, who is an old experienced tobacco grower and manufacturer, has been curing the tobacco for R. M. Blythe of Downey, using a patent process invented by Mr. Spiker. Mr. Blythe made about 100,000 cigars this season, for which he found a ready market in Los Angeles and other sections of Southern California.

Three crops of tobacco are raised each year at Downey. Mr. Spiker reports the yield about 100 pounds to the acre, for these cuttings. This tobacco is worth about 25 cents per pound, but if kept so as to become seasoned, it would be worth much more. It is raised on a sandy loam soil. Mr. Spiker complains that the soil is at present too rich, but this will soon cease to be the case. Tobacco draws largely from the soil. About 15,000 plants are set out to the acre. Irrigation is necessary to start the plants, and for the second crop. Mr. Spiker maintains that by keeping the tobacco for a year, so as to properly cure it, he can turn out a leaf that is fully equal, if not superior, to Havana tobacco.

Tobacco is also raised in San Diego county, and Mr. Spiker has gone down there to cure some of it. The firm of M. W. Stewart & Co., of Los Angeles street is handling a good grade of smoking tobacco that is put up in San Diego.

A little over a year ago an experienced tobacco grower, E. Halstead of Virginia, being in the Cajon Valley, San Diego county, on a visit, after a thorough study of the subject, decided that the soil and climate were suited to the production of the fine grades of Cuban tobacco, so he wrote to United States Consul Gen. Greely, and procured seed. He selected a ten-acre tract, near the flume, composed of decomposed granite soil, and sowed the seed in May. The result of his experiment, he says, surprised him. The yield was from 400 to 500 pounds of dried tobacco to the acre, for the first cutting, and the quality is as good as that of the Havana. He expects to obtain a second and third crop from the same plants, but the yield was only about one-half as much as that of the Havana. The quality was even better than the first cutting. The tobacco was properly cured and made into cigars, and placed on the market. The demand has been much greater than he expected. He expects the yield to be enlarged, and double the acreage planted next season.

Importance of such a valuable crop as tobacco to California, as an adjunct to the horticultural business, cannot be overestimated. This is a crop for which cash can be obtained every year, and there is no trouble about finding a market for good tobacco. The revolution in Cuba has cut off the supply from that point, and there is this year a shortage of tobacco for American tobacco. Connecticut tobacco has been sold this year to firms which have not used domestic wrappers for ten years. Florida is also going into the tobacco business on a scale of considerable magnitude. In Santa Clara county J. D. Culp has been experimenting with tobacco for several years, and is now raising it, mostly for wrappers, which is the most profitable branch of tobacco raising. In climate, in California, the advantage in climate, in California, the planting season extends over a period of four months, whereas in Connecticut it is a question of weeks. Again, we have the fact that the summer rains which are so disastrous to the eastern tobacco crops.

Mr. Culp estimates the cost of planting, irrigating, cultivating, harvesting and curing tobacco at about \$100 an acre, and averages the yield at 1500 pounds to the acre, which is 50 per cent greater than the amount mentioned by Mr. Spiker. A peculiarity of tobacco raising is that the only kind of tobacco to which the soil is adapted can be raised in any location. There is no such thing as transplanting varieties. Tobacco is raised from seed, and after the first year plants from imported seeds partake of the peculiarities of the soil and are identical with the tobacco indigenous to the soil in which it is raised.

If Californians will devote their attention to raising tobacco with the end in view of raising it to compete with Connecticut rather than with Havana, the chances are more largely in their favor.

There is every reason to believe that there are many localities in Southern California where the soil conditions are favorable, and surely we have the advantage in climate. In California the planting season extends over a period of four months, whereas in Connecticut it is a question of weeks. Again, we have the fact that the summer rains which are so disastrous to the eastern tobacco crops.

Oranges Without Irrigation.

S. A. OVERHARTZ of Covina expects to get from ten to twelve thousand boxes of fruit from his forty-acre orange orchard this season. A peculiarity of this orchard is that much of it has never been irrigated, and very little water has been given to any of it. Otherwise, the orchard has been well cared for.

Making Bricks with Oil.

AN EXCHANGE recently referred to an experiment that has been tried in a brick yard in New York State, where oil fuel was used, instead of wood, to burn a kiln of bricks. Hitherto wood has been considered as essential in the burning of bricks. In New York is behind the times in this matter. In Pasadena there is located the only brick-manufacturing plant west of the Rocky Mountains using oil exclusively for manufacturing and burning brick. It is claimed by the owners of the brick yard to be the most complete oil-burning plant in existence, and was designed by one of the owners of the plant. This firm, Simons Bros., not only supplies the local market with the burned and red pressed brick, but ships extensively to surrounding cities and towns, and has a large contract with the Southern California Railroad for what brick is used by that company. The firm employs between twenty and thirty men, and

will this year make twice as many bricks as were burned last year. The output from their yards this year is estimated at over a million bricks. There is on hand at the present time about one million bricks.

Canned Fruit.

ALL the canneries and packing-houses in Southern California have been running on full time this year, and the pack is larger than ever before, while most of the product has already been sold at a good profit. The Whittier cannery hauled over three hundred tons of fruit from the San Gabriel Valley, around Azusa, and also brought in fruit from the San Fernando Valley. The pay roll of the Whittier cannery has exceeded \$6000 a month this year, while several times that amount has been paid out for fruit.

Gardena Grain.

THERE is money in wheat this year in Southern California. Joseph Lakey of Gardena, who commenced farming there two years ago, this year cleared nearly \$5000 over expenses. He farmed 600 acres in grain, and purchased a place of twenty-six acres, one-quarter mile west of Gardena, with part of the income.

Prosperous Pasadena.

ONE firm in Pasadena, the Adams-Phillips Company, boasts of having built within the past three months an average of one house a day. This is a good indication of the rapidity with which the Crown of the Valley is growing.

Dried Fruit.

THE Duarte-Monrovia Deciduous Fruit Association is an enterprising little organization of fruit-growers, which was formed for the purpose of preventing the waste of deciduous fruits that are frequently taken place in that section, for lack of a market during the season which has just closed. The association has handled about 500 tons of green fruit.

Tiles.

THE revived popularity of the mission style of architecture has led to quite a demand for old-fashioned tiles for roofing, in place of shingles. With one small exception, these tiles are at present all imported, and the handling of them is quite an important branch of industry.

The Russell Hardware Company of South Broadway handles several varieties of ornamental tiling, including a Spanish roof tile and a German tile like that which has become quite popular of late being of a moss green color. Others are glazed and mottled like granite, while still others are like white china. Then there are glass tiles, to form skylights in the roofs. All these tiles come from Chicago. The German building in the world's fair can compare with tiles of this make. These tiles have lock joints. The cost of the tiles runs from \$17 to \$25 a square, according to style, a square consisting of ten square feet. The Chicago tile is made of finer clay. The world's fair building in the world's fair can compare with tiles of this make. These tiles have lock joints. The cost of the tiles runs from \$17 to \$25 a square, according to style, a square consisting of ten square feet. The Chicago tile is made of finer clay. 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PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION OF PATRICK SAVAGE IN SAN PEDRO.

Remarkable Absence of Wrangling Between Attorneys—Few Developments Tending to Show the Plan of the Defense.

The preliminary examination of Patrick Savage, charged with the murder of Will Roche in San Pedro on October 6, was held before Justice Downing in that town yesterday. The defendant, who was represented by Ben Goodrich and W. H. Savage, Esq., was held without bail to answer before the Superior Court. Assistant District Attorney W. T. Williams conducted the prosecution.

The examination was remarkable for the absence of anything in the nature of wrangling between attorneys. The defense offered but few objections and those were of the time-honored, perfunctory sort. Something of an effort was made by Savage's attorneys to show that the dying statement of young Roche was urged by others rather than voluntarily made by him, but the course pursued by the defendant's counsel seems to warrant the impression that the plan of defense will be exploited in the Superior Court in a way not yet made public. The prosecution introduced new evidence tending to show that the defendant made threats upon several occasions previous to the tragedy to kill somebody.

A technical description of the wound from which young Roche died was given by Dr. Sylvester Gwaltney. The young man's dying statement, as presented by Justice A. M. Patterson, was objected to by defendant's counsel as not appearing to have been made voluntarily, and for other reasons, but the objections were overruled. Justice Patterson said in explanation of any apparent faults there might be in the statement that it was the first he had ever taken, and he was embarrassed by reason of the number of people present when he took it.

Mr. Williams called City Marshal H. Grimshaw as the next witness, saying (Williams) had not consulted with him, but wanted to bring out all the facts. Witness testified that just after he heard the shot fired he ran to Savage's place and found Alexander Smith holding Savage. Savage said: "No need to hold me; I shot him." Savage said Roche had robbed him. Witness found no weapon on Roche.

Alexander Smith testified that he reached Savage's place within a minute after the shooting and proceeded to relate the circumstances. A. B. Bynon's testimony was in reference to the statement Savage made to him. On the fatal night Savage said he was alone with Roche when he fired the shot, but next day Savage said there was a sailor present.

E. J. Roche, the young man's father, repeated his testimony as given at the Coroner's inquest. He testified also that just after his boy was shot the young man said he thought he would die. The young man denied all knowledge of the robbery of Savage. A few hours before the shooting he met Savage, who said he had been robbed and that the two men who had robbed him were eating ice cream in a place near by.

Duncan Baxter related how the defendant came to him in the afternoon before the tragedy and spoke about being robbed. Savage said he knew who it was and remarked that he would "fix" the persons. Savage didn't appear to feel well. He seemed to have a headache.

H. A. Crocker, in his testimony, told how, early in the morning of the day of the fatality, he saw a man, who he said to be Thomas Golden, enter Savage's place by the rear door and heard him demand money.

W. E. Brenner testified that Savage came to his hardware store and had his pistol loaded; also that Savage, speaking about having been robbed the night before, and referring to the persons who he said had robbed him, said: "I'm going to make a play for them. If anybody asks you, tell them how it happened." On cross-examination by defendant's counsel, witness admitted that the expression about telling how it happened might have been habitual with Savage.

M. H. Shadinger testified that he was in a near-by building when he heard the shooting. A "voice" said: "Pat, you've shot me. What did you do it for?" He thought he saw some one pass out through Savage's rear door.

Thomas McNerny, who signed his name as a witness to Roche's dying statement, testified that he was not present during all of the time that it was taken, nor did he observe that it was read over to young Roche.

Further testimony was taken, after which Mr. Williams briefly asked that the defendant be held to stand trial without bail. Mr. Williams also briefly requested that the prisoner be not held and that he be released on bail. The court ordered that the defendant be held without bail, and thereupon adjourned.

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The Broadway promenade was startled shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon by an alarm of fire turned in from the corner of Fourth street. The peanut and popcorn cart belonging to Frank Berry took fire at that place, and before the flames could be extinguished the gasoline can which feeds the light exploded. Burning gasoline was scattered over the sidewalk in the vicinity, but struck no one. Berry was severely burned about the face and hands in his futile endeavor to extinguish the flames before the arrival of the chemical engine. A large plate-glass window in the Broadway Department Store was cracked by the heat, but the total amount of damage done will not exceed \$100.

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A gown that meets with general favor and is peculiarly suitable for home wear, is the model shown in our fashion cut, which has the waist made with a small, perfect-fitting yoke of black velvet and a high collar, also of velvet. Directions for cutting the skirt, waist and sleeves are given in the tissue-paper patterns sold by Harper's Bazar, where this costume appears. The blouse front, which hangs over the belt, is trimmed with crossed bands of black velvet ribbon, while the sleeves, which are tight-fitting, have ruffles at the top and a flaring point at the wrist. On the skirt is the same arrangement of black velvet ribbon, forming a regular design. The skirt is cut to train slightly and is larger on the hips and in front than a walking skirt is now made. This gown can be made in other materials, such as silk, poplin or bengaline, but looks best in cashmere, and if an inexpensive quality of silk is used the costume will come within the means of most women and still be a gown in the very latest mode.

FRIDAY MORNING CLUB.

Prof. McClatchie on the Treatment of the Morally Defective.

A paper on "The Treatment of the Morally Defective" was read by Prof. A. J. McClatchie before the Friday Morning Club yesterday. After devoting some time to prison statistics and tracing of the leading causes of crime, the speaker emphasized the fact that the State carefully classified crime, but neglected to classify criminals. Various characteristics of the different classes were sketched, and the following divisions of criminals made: Those by passion, who were not criminals in the true sense, and whose crimes were generally against the body; occasional criminals, whose offenses were generally against property; the instinctive, who were the real criminals, and the professional, who was generally superior in intellect to the others, and who took up crime as a business or a fine art.

It could readily be seen, the speaker declared, that these different classes needed different treatment, but that with few exceptions the whole civilized world treated them alike. The present system of dealing with criminals was severely scored and declared to be irrational. The smart, unscrupulous lawyer was denounced as the most dangerous enemy of justice, and the needless postponement of the administration of justice where the prisoner is known to be guilty, and the senseless quibbling of lawyers were deplored.

Continuing, the speaker said that, with rare exceptions, no attempt was made in prisons to change the nature of those confined within them, and often the criminal was released at the end of his time in a worse condition than when he entered; that in considering the treatment of the morally defective, but one thought was to be kept in mind: What was best for society as a whole. Crime needed treatment, not punishment, and criminals needed to have their impulses changed. Religious excitement or sentimentality did not supply the need.

Much good, the speaker said, had been accomplished at some of the reformatories. An outline of the system adopted at the Elmira Reformatory and its good results, was given, the speaker stating that the white 85 per cent. of those who leave that institution continued to be good and honorable citizens, 75 per cent. of those who go out of prisons continue lives of crime.

The penal system was declared to need a thorough reconstruction, and the jury system, which, as conducted at present, is not infrequently a farce, should be abolished. The first object should never be overlooked, but treated vigorously. The country needs a system of graded institutions in order that crime might be classified and given different treatment, which should in all cases be disciplinary. The physical, mental and moral condition of the criminal should be treated simultaneously, and he or she should be confined until mind and hands are so trained that an honest life may be lived. Those beyond such treatment should be confined indefinitely. Such criminals, the State has no more right to set at liberty than a leper or a maniac. No prisoner should be unconditionally freed, but should be obliged to send monthly reports to the institution he has left, and he should not be allowed to leave until some employment has been obtained for him.

The speaker believed that changes in the penal system should be only gradually made, and he acknowledged that at first there might be some obstacles in the way of the proposed system, as it might be difficult to find men and women competent to understand and wisely judge criminal diseases, but that with careful study the want could be supplied.

A discussion followed.

Klondike or Bust.

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